

# Overview of the Pit Bull Ordinance

City Code Chapter 18  
Section 95–98

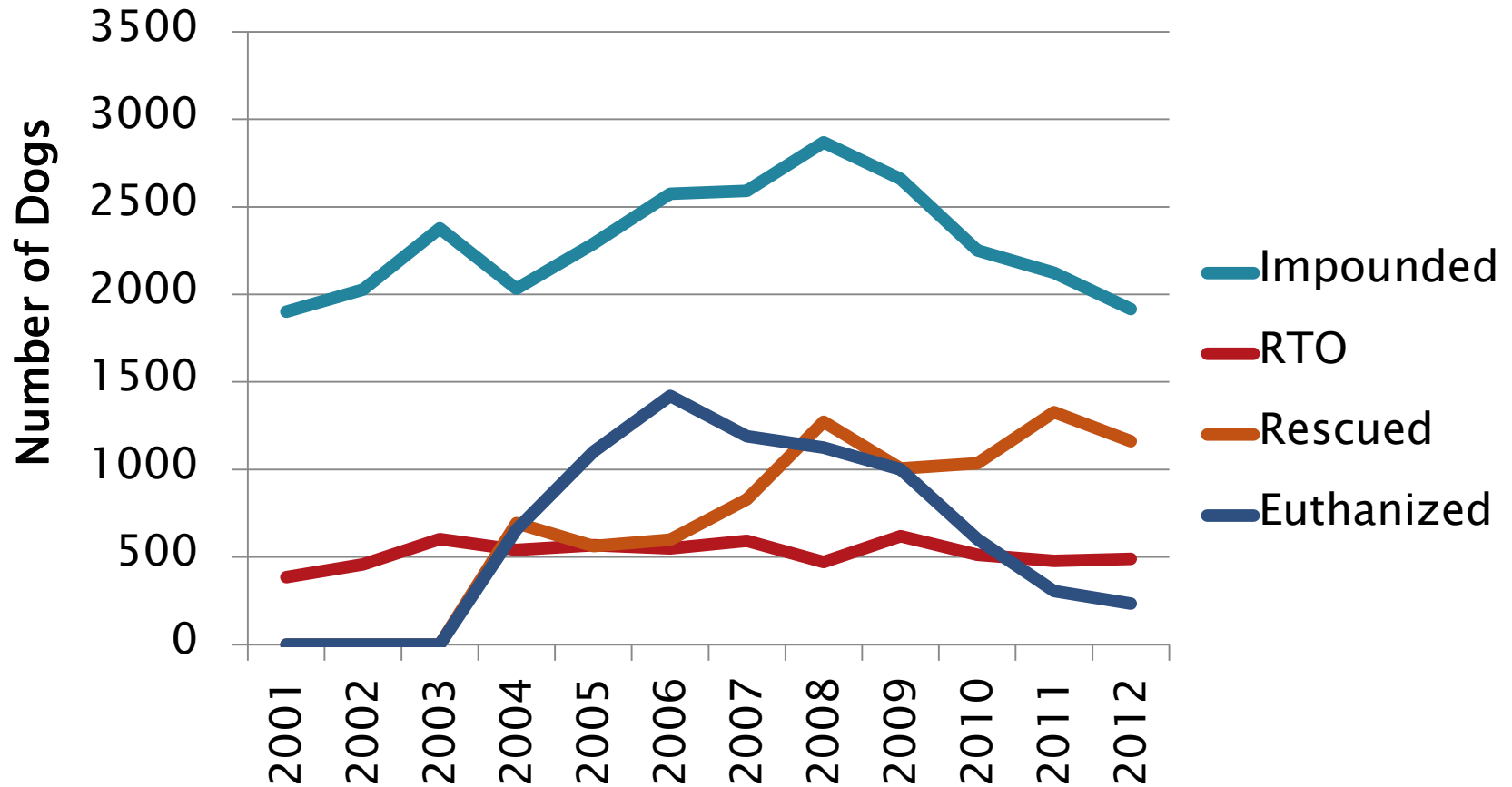
# Events Leading up to the Ordinance

- 9-23-03: A 4 year old is attacked by the neighbor's three pits. Injuries require surgery to the face, neck and ears
- 10-23-03: A 53 year old man attacked by two pits as he walked down the alley behind his place of employment.
- 2-14-05: A 77 year old woman is attacked by two pits that kill her dog. Woman's finger is broken as she tries to intervene.
- 6-14-05: Three year old boy is mauled by pit bull and receives bites to the neck and head. Requires 10 hours of surgery.
- 6-15-05: Pit bull bites a man walking home from a party.

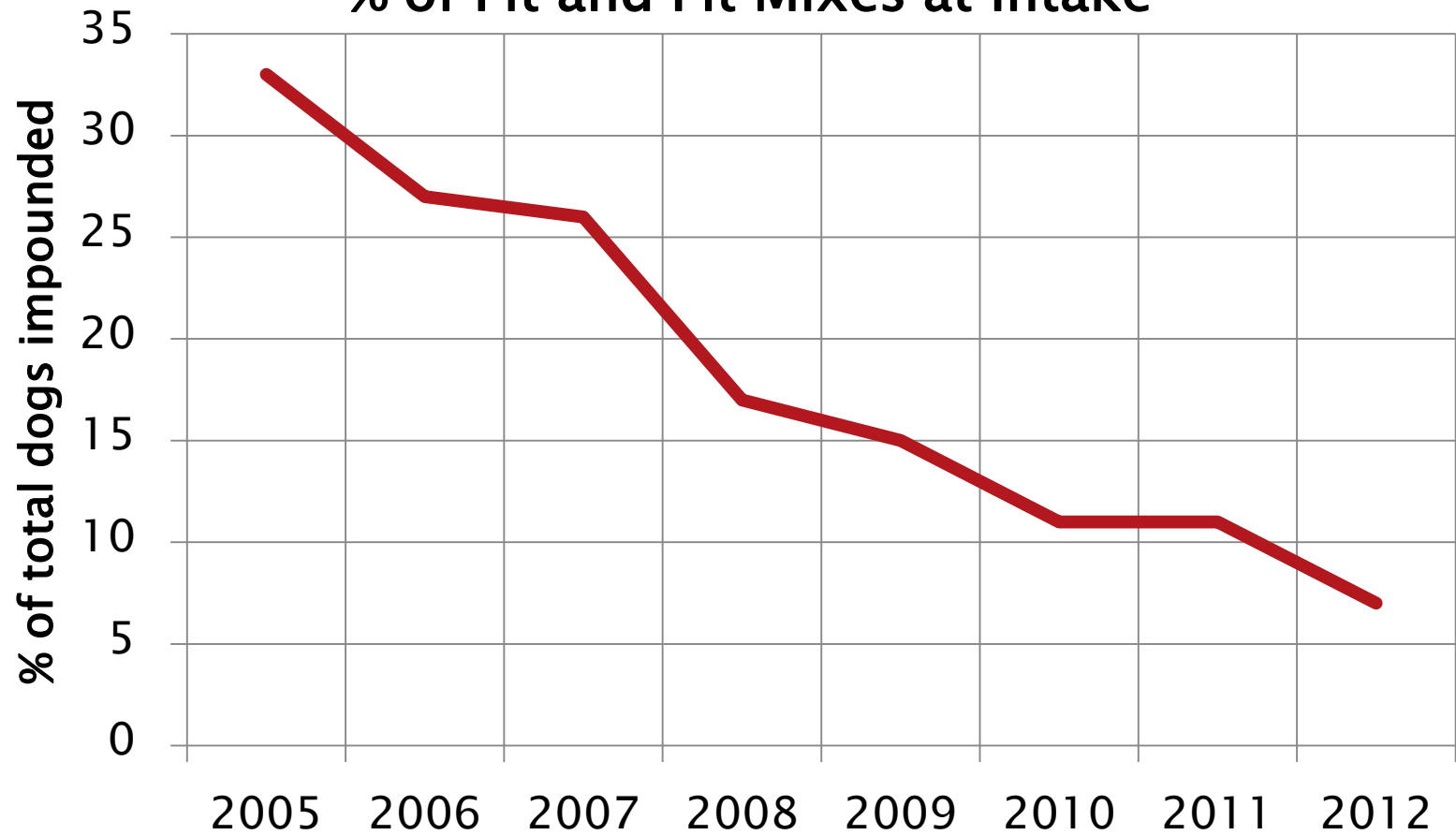
October 16, 2006  
New Pit Bull Ordinance  
goes into effect



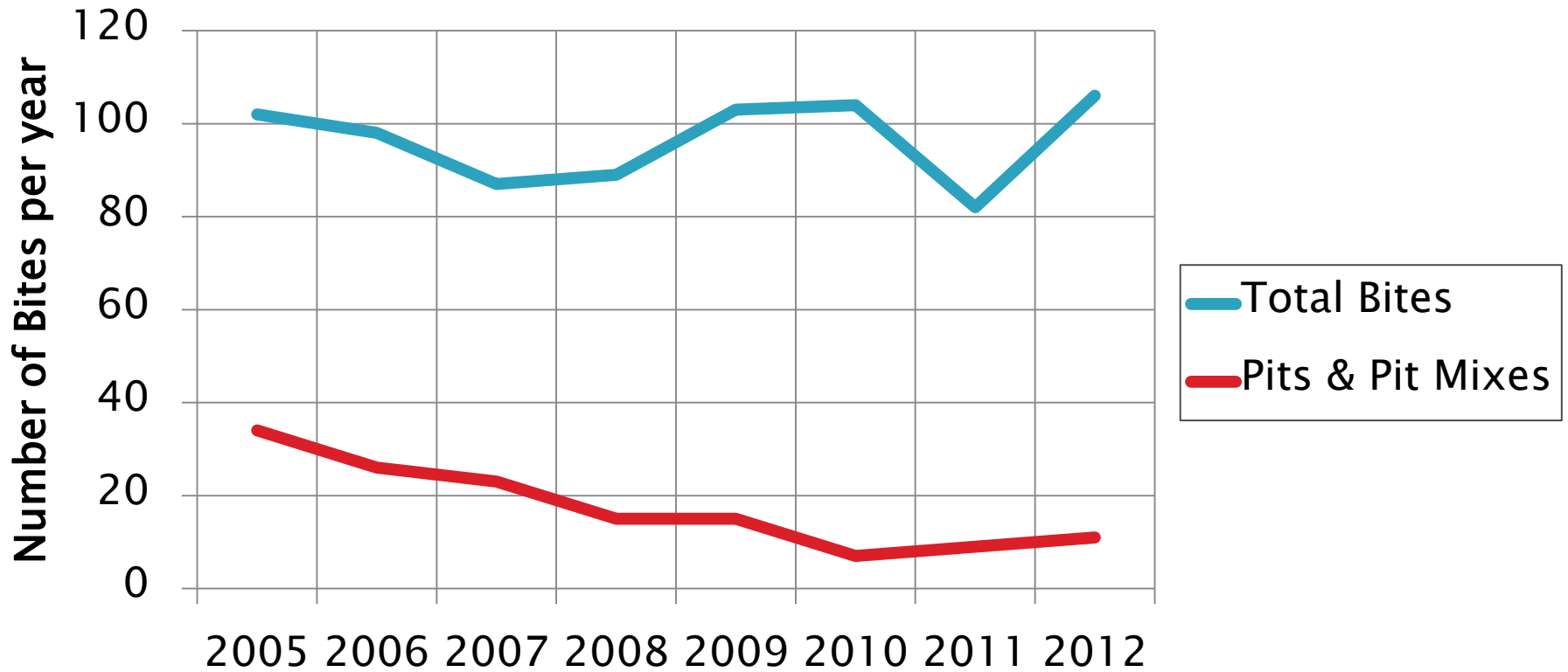
# Intake and Disposition of Dogs 2001 – 2012



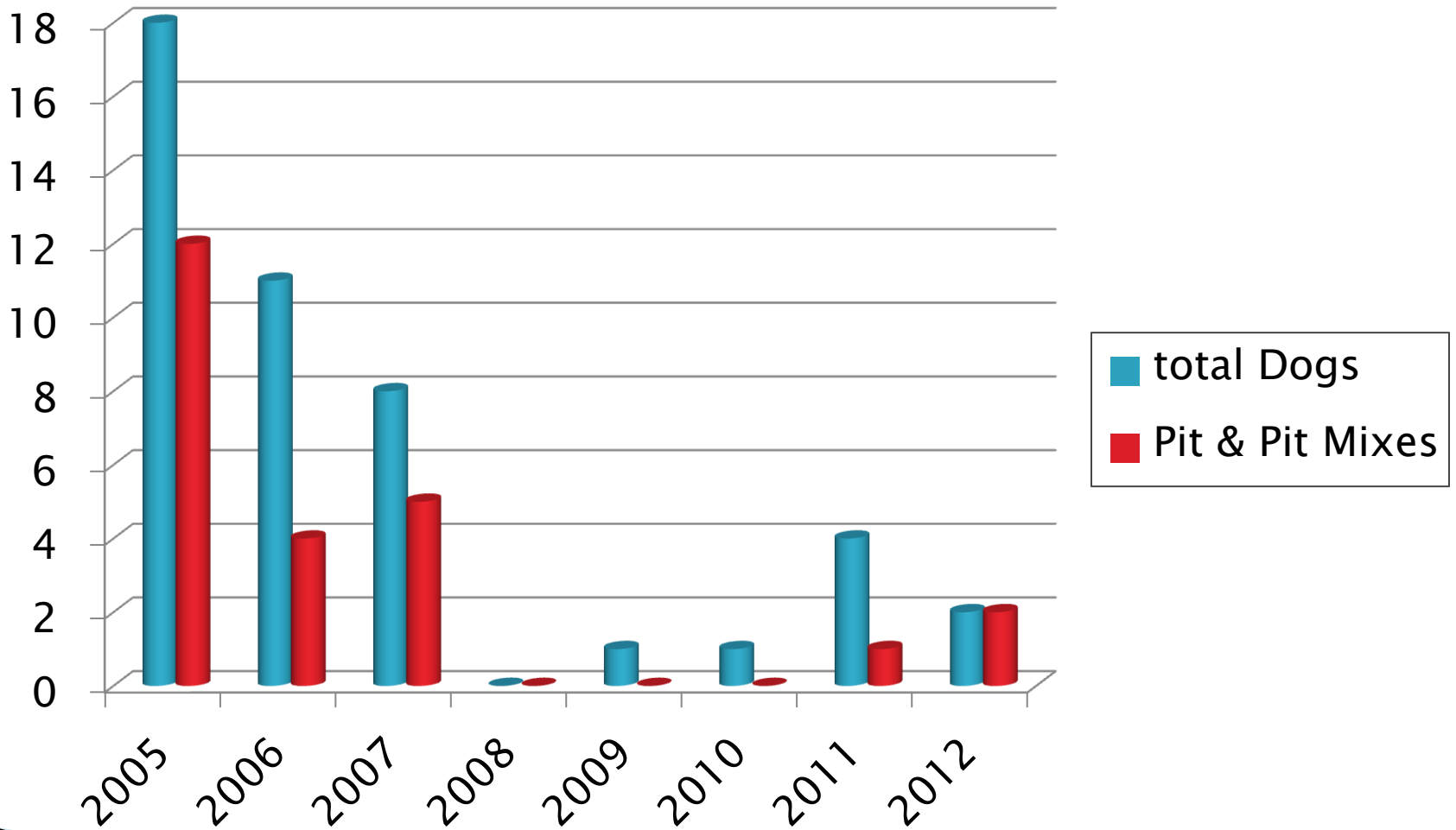
**% of Pit and Pit Mixes at Intake**



## Number of Total Dog Bites Versus Bites by Pits & Pit Mixes



# Vicious Dog Convictions



# Intake and Disposition of Pits & Mixes

	2011	2012
Beginning Inventory as of January 1 <sup>st</sup>	3	0
Annual intake of pits and pits mixes	134 (7 owner turn- ins)	126 (18 owner turn- ins)
Returned to Owner	41 (32%)	33 (31%)
Euthanized	93	87
Left in inventory December 31 <sup>st</sup>	3	6